

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 315

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A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Sharolyn Shae Johnson,  
2017 Top Ten, Hancock County High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Sharolyn Shae Johnson is one such exceptional student who was recently named a Top Ten student of the 2017 graduating class at Hancock County High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Shae Johnson achieved outstanding academic success and joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Johnson earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average while participating in a number of extracurricular activities, including serving as senior class president, student council president, yearbook editor, and co-editor of the school newspaper; her article "Creating One Nation: Green McAdoo and the Revolution for Equality" was published in *New Southerner*; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success as a student at East Tennessee State University; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Johnson's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Kevin Johnson and Jamie Hodge, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Shae Johnson's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of the members of this General Assembly; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor Sharolyn Shae Johnson of Hancock

County High School on being named a 2017 Top Ten student, salute her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.